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October 28, 2009  
Subject: **Freeport**  
Federal Project No: CM-1309(600)X  
State Project No. 013096.00  
**Amendment No. 1**

Dear Sir/Ms:

Make the following changes to the Bid Documents:

In the Plans, SHEET NUMBER 3 OF 20, ESTIMATED QUANTITIES, **CHANGE** Item No. 403.207 - HOT MIX ASPHALT 19.0 MM HMA to read as follows Item No. **"403.213 HOT MIX ASPHALT 12.5 MM HMA BASE"**. Make this change in pen and ink.

In the Plans, SHEET NUMBER 6 OF 20, CONCRETE STEPS, above SECTION A-A, **CHANGE** "AGGREGATE SUBBASE FOR FOUNDATION" to read as follows; **"AGGREGATE BASE COURSE – CRUSHED FOR FOUNDATION"** Make this change in pen and ink.

The following questions have been received:

**Question:** Due to the width of the shoulder widening, it will be very difficult, maybe even impossible to achieve pavement densities. Are the densities being waved?

**Response:** No

**Question:** Sheet 6 of 20 shows aggregate subbase going under the concrete stairs, but the schedule of value only has item 304.09 "Aggregate Base Course – Crushed". How will the aggregate base be paid for?

**Response:** The Aggregate Subbase should be Aggregate Base Course Crushed. Please see the above pen and ink change.

**Question:** The schedule of values only calls out 1 single tree & stump to be removed but Plan Sheet 7 clearly calls out several more single trees to be removed. How will this be paid for?



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**Response:** The tree to be removed under Item 201.23 and the stump to be removed under Item 201.24 are located at Sta. 5+22 LT +/- . Any other trees that are noted to be removed will be paid to be removed using the appropriate rental items.

**Question:** Please specify the curb widths for all three special Granite curb items.

**Response:** The Curb widths for all Special Granite Curb items shall be the same as specified in the Standard Detail for Type 1 Curb.

**Question:** Curb manufacturers are asking for details for all three special curb items. Please supply the details so they may be passed along to the suppliers.


**Response** As per Special Provision 609 all Special Granite Curb shall meet the requirements of 712.04 except as indicated on the plans. See previous response for widths. Heights are as specified for each Item.

**Question:** Regarding items 609.110, 609.1111 & 609.1112 – Special Curb – Is the curb width for these items 5”?

**Response:** The Curb widths for all Special Granite Curb items shall be the same as specified in the Standard Detail for Type 1 Curb.

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on **November 4, 2009.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Bickford", followed by the letters "FOR" in a slightly larger, bolder font.

Scott Bickford  
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